First Snow Of Season

On Friday morning, November 17th, Appomattox received its first snow of the season and what a beautiful sight it was. Approximately two inches of the white flakes fell here in Appomattox.

The snow was "wet" and therefore clung to the trees and shrubs making a beautiful picture to look at, but did not impair traffic in any way. The crew of workers from the State Highway Department were out early and the clean-up job was completed in a hurry.

Homemaker Hints

Rebecca M. Johnson
Extension Agent

Plan now to attend the Appomattox County Extension Homemakers Council 1972 Achievement Day. It will be held Thursday, November 30, beginning at 10:30 a.m. at the Woodman of the World Building in Appomattox. There are several interesting talks planned for the meeting, so come and bring your covered dish for the luncheon. Each of the twelve clubs will have an exhibit of articles made by members during the past year.

Try this recipe for "Sour Cream Yule Cake."

¾ cup boiling water
¾ cup corn meal
2 ½ cups sugar
1 cup butter or margarine
6 eggs
¾ teaspoon almond extract
2½ cups sifted all purpose flour
½ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon soda
1 cup dairy sour cream

Pour boiling water over corn meal; set aside. In mixing bowl beat together sugar and butter until light and fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition. Add softened corn meal and almond extract. Sift together flour, salf, and soda; add to creamed mixture alternately with sour cream, beating after each addition.

Pour batter into greased and floured bundt pan or 10-inch tube pan. Bake in preheated oven (350°) for 1½ hours, or until cake tests done. Cool 15 minutes; remove from pan. Cool thoroughly; sprinkle with confectioners sugar. (put sugar in small strainer and gently shake over cake. This gives a smoother appearance and prevents lumps.)

This cake may make a good Christmas gift for a friend.

Speaking of Christmas, remember that many talented people here in Appomattox sell lovely handmade articles that are perfect for gift giving. And get your shopping done early rushing around at the last minute can easily dampen the spirits of even the most enthusiastic shoppers!

Stonewall E.H.C.

Our club held it's regular monthly meeting November 9th at the home of Mrs. Rebecca Bondurant with 9 members and 1 visitor present.

Our president Inez Foster presided.

Mrs. Bondurant gave our devotions on Psalm 100 and we closed them with the Lord's Prayer.

Eleanor Stratton was elected as our new secretary Treasurer for 1973 until a new slate of officers are presented for 1974-75. Helen Routan will be her assistant. Also a new clothing leade was elected, Virginia Davis...on and Home Management, Mrs. Rebecca Bondurant.

For our Christmas luncheon with Ann Stratton on Dec. 14th at 11:30 a.m. we decided to give different book reviews on the books we've read this year.

Also, we will exchange gifts. Please remember to bring a small gift members.

Achievement Day was discussed at length.

Susie Krantz was elected to send cards from the club.

Jane Young gave a very interesting Federation Program on safe driving during the winter months.

Hallie Roope gave a brief demonstration on **"Selection and Care of Rugs and Carpets."**

Hallie Roope, Sec'y.

MISS P. WHITE AND MRS. F. HALE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL 4-H

Miss White and Mrs. Hale's 4-H Club met on Wednesday November 15. The meeting was called to order by the president, Nancy Hodges. The song leaders Robert Sayre and Teresa McFadden led the group in singing **"Kum Ba Yah."**

Club advisor, Mr. Stweet, urged members to begin working on individual projects, and asked that they do their projects before the next meeting. Mr. Sweet also taught the members the Pet Game which was very interesting. The meeting was then adjourned.

Robert Rosser, Reporter

Jr. Tri-Hi-Y

The annual Central District Conference was held at the Appomattox Intermediate School on November 11, 1972. The theme for the program was **"To Dream Things That Never Were"**. The District President, Martha Harvey, opened the meeting and Principal L. A. Johnson delivered the welcome. The officers were introduced, and devotions were presented by the chaplain. Jane Hix provided the entertainment.

The District Conference election of officers was held. Kathy O'Brien was the Junior Assembly nominee.

Mr. Harry Green, President of Phillips Business College addressed the group. Following his address, refreshments were served in the cafeteria.

Guides for the day from the Jr. Tri Hi Y were the officers Jeanette Clark, Teresa Cyrus, Susan Rosser, Dawn Rush, Sandy Jamerson, Teresa Harris and Kathy O'Brien.

Our closing ceremonies were presented by Mr. G. H. Coleman of the Associated Executive Virginia YMCA. The club hymn was led by Susan Rosser. The meeting was adjourned following the Lord's Prayer.

Ann McCraw, Reporter

MISS LOHR 4-H CLUB

We had our 4-H Club meeting Wednesday November 14. Our president called the meeting to order. Connie Woodson and Sheerie Covington led us in the pledge to the American Flag and 4-H Flag. Then the song leaders, Mike Powell and Vanessa Smith led us in songs and games. Then the secretary Kathy Johnson read the minutes of the last meeting. Then our president turned the meeting over the Mr. Sweet. Mr. Sweet had a game for the class to play. The game was called PETS. We also talked about forestry and seeding which we will talk about next month. After we finished the game, Mr. Sweet passed out answer sheets from the game PETS.

Reporter, Willis Fleshman

HOLLYWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman, Mrs. Otis Smith and Mrs. W. T. Covington spent Thursday in Farmville with Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Gilliam.

Mr. Tommie Brown, of Marrietta, Ohio, spent Sunday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Covington, of Lynchburg.

Rev. W. H. Elder brought us a wonderful Thanksgiving message Sunday night at Hollywood.

We were grieved to hear of the death Saturday of Mrs. Ruth Swan Brockwell, of Newport News. Her funeral will be at the First Baptist Church in Newport News Tuesday at 1 p.m. Deepest sympathy is extended each of her loved ones.

Thomas Woodall, of Covington, spent a few days last week with his aunt, Mrs. Mary Bagby, and sister, Mrs. W. H. Wingfield and family. Others calling in the Bagby home Saturday were Clem, Ronnie, Jim, Jackie and Jimmie Woodall and Katherine Wingfield.

We are so glad to hear Mrs. Wilson Scruggs is home from the hospital and is improving. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

We were very glad Mrs. W. T. Covington was able to be at church Sunday. She was real sick last week. We all hope she may soon be real well again.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Jenkins Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Twyman Baldwin, Mrs. Bobby Peters and Rev. W. H. Elder.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wingfield and family celebrated their aunt's, Mrs. Charlie Bagby's birthday Sunday. Those present were Mrs. W. T. Covington, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson and William and Mrs. Bagby.

STONEWALL

"As much as lieth in you, live peacably with all men."
Romans 12:18

Rev. and Mrs. Moore and daughters had a safe trip to Virginia Beach last week.

So many around have flu and were not able to attend church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Howlett Martin Mrs. Bob Warley, Mrs. H. B. Jones and family visited Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Wheeler. Mrs. Wheeler is much better at this writing. Also Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wheeler Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Younger, Mrs. Ruby Oakes and her fiancee, Mr. Watkins Elliott visited Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bondurant last week.

Mrs. Hog Elliott her daughter Charlotte to Virginia Beach last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones family spent Sunday parents, Mr. and Mrs. er Kirby.

So glad to report Mrs. Phil Harrison back from Florida.

We are all Thanksgiving Day neighborhood. The newspaper section today was spent Sunday with Davidson.

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FRENCH Instant Potato -13 OZ. PKG. 49¢
9 LIVES - 6½ OZ. CANS Cat Food 6 CANS $1.00
CHARMIN Toilet Tissue -650 SHEETS PER ROLL 4 ROLL PKG 3

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Education Pays Off In Appomattox Co.

New York, Nov. 25 - The current and prospective earning capacity of Appomattox County residents has reached new heights.

It is linked to the fact that they are getting more schooling, before entering the labor force, than ever before.

And this, according to studies made at the University of Michigan, the Department of Commerce and elsewhere, is a crucial factor in determining how much salary a person can command, now and during the rest of his working career.

They show, in general, that a man who has had four years of college is currently making 45 percent more than a high school graduate, that a high school graduate receives 27 percent more than a person who has had eight years of elementary schooling and that those who have not completed the eight years average 26 percent less than those who have.

Residents of Appomattox County are presently getting a median of 9.4 years of education, the figures show. It is more than they would have received in former years. In 1960 the median number of years completed was 8.0

Locally, 26.4 percent of the male population and 31.3 percent of the female are high school graduates. Many of them have continued on to college.

The situation is quite different from that in some parts of the country. On the basis of figures from Washington, there are some 18,500,000 adults in the United States who cannot read and write well enough to fill out applications for social security, for a job or for a drivers license. Many others are completely illiterate.

As for the younger generation, they appear to have shifted their stance in the past few years. They are staying in school longer than they did in the recent past.

The added amount of schooling they have been acquiring, compared with ten years ago, places them in an advantageous position with respect to their counterparts in many sections of the country.

The increase, 17.5 percent,

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TREASURER'S OFFICE OPEN ON SATURDAYS

According to an announcement by Mrs. Ida H. Campbell, Treasurer of Appomattox County, the deadline for paying County taxes, without penalty, is December 5th, 1972.

The Treasurer's Office will remain open on Saturday, November 25th, and on Saturday, December 2nd, from 9:00 a.m. until 12 noon for your convenience.

Cannery Closes Today

The Appomattox Community Cannery will close today, Thursday, November 30, 1972, according to an announcement by Henry Pack, Agricultural Instructor.

The Pamplin Cannery will remain open until December 15, 1972, and will be open daily. For appointments for processing lards and meats please call Mrs. Richardson, 248-6191, at the Cannery.

According to Mr. Pack, production has been curtailed tremendously due to the hurricane in June. Production this year at the Appomattox Cannery is approximately 40,000 cans. This is possibly the smallest number of cans processed since the cannery opened.

P-TA Council To Meet Tuesday

The Appomattox P-TA Council will meet at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 5, at the Appomattox Primary School.

Trooper Howard Gregory, Virginia State Police, will bring the program for the evening.

All P-TA Presidents, Principals and delegates from each of the four county schools, School Superintendent and all interested persons are invited to attend.

The Rev. Deryl Holiday, Council President, will be presiding.

Christmas Parade Set For Friday Night

MERRY CHRISTMAS strung out across Main Street and the golden decorations down the entire street greet you when you drive or walk down Main Street in Appomattox. The Town of Appomattox gets the credit for the pretty decorations and word has it that the lights will be turned on just prior to the Christmas Parade Friday night.

Mayor Pack Parade Marshall

For the first time in several years, Appomattox will have a Christmas Parade, sponsored by the Appomattox County Chamber of Commerce.

The parade will begin on Friday night, December 1st, at 6:30 p.m. at the Fidelity National Bank, Hillcrest Branch, and will go down Court Street to Main Street, stopping there for Santa Claus to greet the children.

Santa Claus, of course, will be the main feature of the parade and he will have candy for all the children, compliments of the Jaycees.

The Junior Woman's Club of Appomattox will furnish toys for the children to go along with the candy given out by Santa Claus.

Henry Pack, Mayor of the Town of Appomattox, will be the parade marshall and will lead the parade. Following Mayor Pack will be the Appomattox County High School Marching Band and Majorettes.

As the parade progresses down Main Street, the Christmas lights will be turned on simultaneously.

Also participating in the parade will be local Boy Scouts, local Girl Scouts, Woodmen of the World Drill Team, a Shriner's Clown Group from Lynchburg, an FFA Float, American Legion Marching Group, Appomattox Beauty Shop Float, Times Virginian Float, Liberty Baptist Church Choir Group, the Appomattox County Rescue Squad, the Appomattox Volunteer Fire Department, Gladstone Rescue Squad, Concord Rescue Squad, the Concord Volunteer Fire Department, Vaughan's Snack Bar from Pamplin and the Rhythm Pacers and Drum Corps from Lynchburg.

This promises to be a very good parade and all citizens are urged to come out at 6:30 p.m. so as not to miss a single thing.

All local stores will be open Friday night for your shopping convenience. Come out, see the parade, bring the children to see Santa Claus, and get in some Christmas shopping at the same time. Appomattox is a good place to shop.

Woman's Club To Meet Monday

The Appomattox Woman's Club will meet on Monday evening, December 4th, at the Appomattox County High School cafeteria at 6:30 p.m.

A covered dish supper is being planned and husbands and guests are invited to attend.

A musical program will be presented after the dinner.

A Holiday Schedule For Appomattox Post Office

Window service at the Appomattox Post Office will be expanded to provide service from 9 a.m. until 12 noon on Sat., Dec. 9 and Sat., Dec. 16. Window service at Pamplin will be normal which includes Saturday service from 8:30 a.m. until 12 noon.

Rural customers are reminded that stamps should be purchased in advance and placed on letters and cards before mailing. Carriers do not have time to perform this service during December and are not required to do so. Local cards and letters should be separated from those mailed to other post offices and bundles secured with twine or rubber bands. Please clear the approach to your mailbox after each snow. This is often overlooked, but it is very much appreciated by the carrier when it is done promptly.

Use zip codes on all mail and include your zip code as part of the return address. The return address will insure that all first class mail and parcels that are undeliverable will be returned.

Pack and wrap all parcels securely. Include a slip of paper with the name and address of addressee and your return address, inside the parcel just in case the outside wrapper gets torn or blurred.

The 8c rate will apply to all greeting cards, sealed or unsealed. Please mail all parcels by December 10 and all cards and letters by December 15.

All employees of the Appomattox, Pamplin, Spout Spring and Evergreen Post Offices are ready to help you with all of your postal needs and wish you the Happiest Christmas ever.

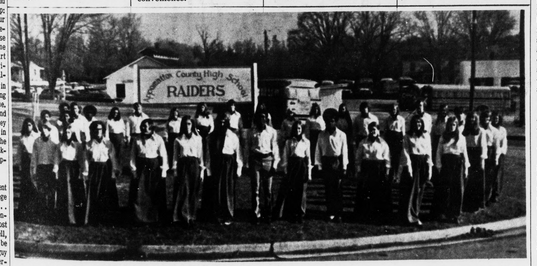
Basketball Season Opens Dec. 1st

The Appomattox County High School Varsity and Junior Varsity Basketball teams will open their season on Friday night, December 1st.

The Junior Varsity will play Buckingham High School at 6:30 p.m., as a preliminary game to the Varsity team that will be playing Buckingham High School at 8:00 p.m. Both games will be played in the ACHS gym.

The ACHS Girls Varsity Basketball season will open on December 8th, when they travel to Rustburg for their first game. The Girls' Team will begin play at 6:30 p.m., and will be followed by the Raiders' Varsity team game at 8:00 p.m.

For the complete basketball schedule, see the Sports Page of this edition of the TIMES-VIRGINIAN.



ACHS Choir Will Present Concert

The Appomattox County High School Choir will present a concert of Christmas music on Sunday, December 3rd, at 3:00 p.m. in the auditorium of the Appomattox Intermediate School. There will be no admission charge.

The 42 - member group is directed by Karen Gibson and accompanied by Melanie Folks and Julia Hesson. The choir will also be accompanied by a brass ensemble featuring Bryan Selz, David Jones, Lynn Allen Smith and Rita Inge.

The program includes a group of Christmas Chorales by J. S. Bach, Three Far Eastern Carols by Sargent, Several American Folk songs arranged by Hairston, and a short cantata entitled CHILD OF WONDER by Forconci. Soloist will be Marvin Watson, Al Johnson and Teresa McIntosh.

The public is invited to attend.

Appomattox County Agencies Unite For Consumer Health

by Rebecca M. Johnson,
Extension Agent

On Wed., Nov. 22, representatives from local agencies met to make plans for implementation of consumer health information. Present were Mrs. Brenda Richardson, Public Health Nurse; Mrs. Mary C. McNeil, Service Worker; Mr. Eugene Peyton, Supt. of Schools, and Rebecca Johnson, Extension Agt. In charge of the meeting were Mr. Charlie Elliott and Mrs. Ocie Mack, Extension Agts for Consumer Health. Mr. Elliott and Mrs. Mack suggested ways in which health information could be best taught to children and adults in our county. The group decided on the following ways to disseminate the important health information: principals and teachers in the local school system, mass media (radio, television, and newspaper), personal contact by service workers and health nurses, and group teaching of health clinic participants, Extension Homemaker Clubs, and school students.

Mrs. Mary C. McNeil was appointed chairman for the local committee and Mr. Tim Lawing is secretary for the group.

A very interesting film on Sickle Cell Anemia was reviewed by the committee. This disease will be featured in a news article early next month, so watch for the facts concerning it.

The committee is striving to teach the public all about health, health care services, health insurances, and other related information. County citizens need to learn ways to save money on health services, and to keep themselves healthier.

If you are interested in joining the committee, or visiting at one of the meetings, please contact Becky Johnson (352-8240) or Mary McNeil (352-2331). Unite with us to form a healthier community.

WOW CAMP 71 WILL HAVE CHRISTMAS DINNER

Camp 71 of the Woodmen of the World will not have their regular meeting on December 4th nor on the 18th of December.

A Christmas banquet will be held on December 9th at 6:30 p.m. at the Woodman of the World Building.

WRITTEN UP IN LADIES HOME JOURNAL

A most interesting and exciting article was in the November issue of the Ladies Home Journal entitled "My Life In The White House Doghouse".

This article was written by one of our local citizens. Mr. Trapher Bryant. The Bryant's have been residents of Appomattox County about a year, having moved here upon retirement from the Federal Government. Mr. Bryant spent about 21 years of his government service at the

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Grand Opening At Pamplin Exxon This Week End

The new Pamplin Exxon Service Station, located on Route 460, west of Appomattox, will hold its Grand Opening Thursday, November 30, Friday, December 1st and Saturday, December 2nd.

Owners and operators of Pamplin Exxon are Hunter Tolley and "Dick" Richardson.

The public is invited to attend the Grand Opening and register for free prizes. Gifts will include Free Them-Ware cups, and Free 32 ounce Pepsi Colas.

Their all new facilities and full line of tires, batteries and "happy motoring" products mean outstanding service for you and your car. You, the public, are cordially invited to attend the opening at Pamplin Exxon.

Bloodmobile Visit On Tuesday

At the regular visit of the Red Cross Bloodmobile in Appomattox at the Liberty Baptist Church from noon until 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, there was quite a bit of activity going on and a large number of donors turned out to help with this County-Wide project.

Assisting the Red Cross nurses and some local nurses were members of the Appomattox Junior Woman's Club and other volunteers. Ladies from the Spout Spring Baptist Church furnished food and were in charge of the Canteen.

Mrs. Lucy Harvey is Co-Chairman of the Blood Program for Appomattox County and serving with her as Co-Chairman is Mrs. Ruby Ferguson, member of the Junior Woman's Club.

At the visit on Tuesday, 99 units of blood were needed to reach the quota and Appomattox County came up with 100 units at the visit, making this visit a success.